### AUCTION SALES.

OMMISSIONERS' LALE OF VALUA RIJE LAND-By virtue of a decree pro-sounced by the Circuit Court of Prince William county, at the November special term, 1879, thereof in the chancery suit of Stonnell vs. Stonhell, the endersigned special commissioners therein named, will offer for sale at public austion, before the front door of the court house of the said county, on MONDAY, the 11th day of october 1880, (that being Court day) the VALIBABLE FARM situated in the said county. UABLE FARM, situated in the said county, called "NEABSCO." containing about 613 acres. This farm lies on the Neabsco run, about ne half mile from Neabsco Mills and postofice; it is heavily timbered and has on it a COMMODIOUS DWELLING and all necessary out houses, well forced and in good state of cultivature. It has on it also a VALUABLE DELAM. tion. It has on it also a VALUABLD SHATE QUARRY, which has been extensively worked

Terms of Sala-One third of the purchase money in each, and the residue in three equal payments at one, two and three years, with interest from day of sale, the purchaser or centing needs, with approved security, for the deferred payments, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase monay is paid. Mr. Richard Stonnell, living on the premises,

will take pleasure in showing the farm to any A plot of the farm may be seen at the office of

John M. Johnson, e.q., Alexandria, Va.
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S. E. MEREDITH,
W.M. E. LIPSCOMB.
CI Sale. Princes William county, sep 10-ts

By virtue of a decree rendered at the June term, 1880, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, in the suit of James Jones et als. vs. R. R. Fowle et als., the undersigned commissioners of sale therein named, on SEPPEMBER 20, 1850 Court day, at 12.50 p. m., in front of the Court flouse of Fairiax county, will offer for sale a certain TRACT OF LAND, in Prince William county, about 14 miles from Occaquan en the Brentsville road, bounded by the lauds of Hammill, Seman and Daval!. The tract contains 180 acres, I rood and 14 poles, and has a substantial DWELLING and other improvements upon it Terms: One tenth of the purchase money eash, and the residue in three equal instalments at 5, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the say of sale; the purchaser to give good security for the deferred payments. Title to be retained until full payment of the purchase money.

CASSIUS CARTER, Commirs.

F. L. SMITH,

Fairles county, aug27-23-44

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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF A VALU-Sy virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of salist county, Ve. rendered at its June term, 1830, thereof, in the chancery cause of Smyth ve. Ferrie, the undersigned, commissioners of sale, appointed by said do rea, will self at public anction, on Tuesday. September 28th, 1850, at 120 chock me, in front or the Market Building, on Royal street in the city of Alexandria, Ve., the REAL REPATE in said decree mentioned, missed in Mount Vernon District, Pairfax expetited the old road from Alexandria to Accoting them the old road from Alexandria to Accoting them the right for the old road from Alexandria to Accoting them the right for the old road from Alexandria to Accoting them the former and three miles. shout six miles from the former and three miles Vernor, in a good neighborhood, adjoining the ing 113 ACRES, about 2) of which are in wood, and the residue under ou tivation, well adapted to grain and grass. There is a large and nearly new DWKLLING HOUSE, of modern construction, containing clover rooms, bay windows and never failing well of fine water near the coor, two barns, with stabling, wagon shed. &c. Also a large ORCHARD (1 well selected fruit, of apples, pears and peaches, the whole embracing a very desirable estate. It will be shown to nurchasers by Wm. C. Ferris, now on the premser. Possession given for tall seeding it de ined, and full pressession given on confirmation of

Terms: One third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in one and two pears after date, the purchaser executing bonds, bearing interest, for the deferred in stalments, and the fills retained until the purchase money is all paid.

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## nug28-acts SALE OF LAND IN FAIRFAX COUNTY

By virtue of a decrea randered at the June ierm, 15.0, of the Circuit Court of Fairf's county in the suit of John D. De Bell, administrator R. R. Daniel, deceased, v. A. S. Grigaby, &c., the undersigned commissioners of sale therein named, on SEPTEMBER 20, 1880, Court day, at 12 o'clock m., will sell at public auction, helore the door of the Court House of said county, a certain TRACT OF LAND, belonging to A. S. Grigsby, containing 3334 acres, more or The said land lies near the village of Cen-The seld and hes near the vininge of Centrarille, adjoining the lands of Pomercy. Eight and others. Persons desiring a particular description thereof are referred to Mr. John D. DeBell, who resides in the vicinity.

Terms of Sale: One fourth of the purchase along in hand as a deposit, liable to be forfeited and the land result at the vicinity.

and the land resold at the risk of the purchaser should be fail to complete his purchase; the resdue in three equal annual instalments, with interest from day of sale, payable annually, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, will good personal security, and retention of title till the last payment is made.

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### AUCTION SALES. By Green & Wise, Auctioneers.

Executors sale of real estate.

On SATURDAY, October 16, 1830, at 12 o'clock m., we will offer at public auction, the following described real estate in the city of Alexandria, late the property of Samuel Miller,

esq., decessed.
1. LOT OF GROUND, northwest corner of Prince and Royal streets, about 17 feet by ES feat to a o feet alley, with use of alley-being the property on which stands the three story brick and slated STORE and dwelling, now oc-cupied by Mr. Emerson. This property, as sold, will be bounded on the west by the line of the west wall of the building, theree extended to the alley, and will be subject to the use of said west wall for building purposes by the own-

er of the adjoining lot.
2. LOT OF GROUND next west of the above about eight feet wide, with TWO STORY BRICK AND SLATED DWRLLING, ex-tending with that width back to the alley, with use of alley and of wall on the east for building purposes

3. THREE STORY BRICK BUILDING AND LOT on south side of Price, shout 28 feet west of Union, 13 feet front and 40 feet 4 inches

deep.
4. UNDIVIDED HALF OF PROPERTY
on the east side of Union between Prince and
king streets, running through to the Strand, about 71 feet 94 inches wide between a 20 feet alley on the south, being the properly and occupled by F. A. Reid, as an ice bouse.

5. THREE STORY BRICK SLATED WARRHOUSE No. 43 south Union street, 22 feet 2 inches front, 91 feet 4 inches deep.

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eight months with interest, to be secured by bonds of purchaser, a lien on the property and insurance of buildings. Sala to be subject to Siste and city taxes of

Sala to be subject to Ecos and 1850-81.
Place of sale—Enterance to Corporation court room, Fairfax street.
FRANCIS MILLER,
S. FEROUSON BEACH,
Executors of Samuel Miller, deceased.

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Orporation Court for the city of Alexandrie, Va. rendered at its September term, 1880, in the cause of Baniel W. Griffith vs. Kinsey the madersigned, special commis-Grillia of al., the undersigned, special sommis-sioner therein named, will offer for sale by pubde auction, in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, on SATURDAY, the 21 day of October, 1880, at 12 o'clock m, the following property, to wit: No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND, beginning 120

feet inches from the corner of Union and King structs; thence west with King street 29 feet 9 inches to the centre of the square; thonce south 116 feet to a 20 feet alloy; theme; east on the al-

ley 29 feet 0 inches; thence north by a straight line to the beginning.

No 2 A LOTO, GROUND and IMPROVE-MECTE adjoining the property of D. McLeod, beginning at the western intersection of McLeod's line with King street; thence back with McLeod's line with King street; thence back with McLood's line 116 feet to a 20 feet alley; there) with the siley westwardly 24 feet; thence with a lieu parallel to first line to King street; thence with King street to the baginning.

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### Dr. Tanner's Lecture.

Dr. Robert A. Gunn introduced Dr. Tanner in Booth's Theatre, New York, last Thursday. The house was not half filled. Dr. Tanner began his lecture by instancing the historical and other fasts since the times of Moses and Elijab. and then said that his fast of forty days was undertaken to silence those physicians who had set up the cry of "fraud" whenever they had spoken of modern cases of fasting and to vindicate himself, whom they had denounced as a protender. In his early practice of medicine he discovered in fasting a cure for many diseases-for example, dyspepsia and inflammation of the stomach and other diseases. He fasted for forty two days in Minneapolis in 1877, but the medical faculty denied that he bad done so. A case of long fasting-that of Mollie Fancher, of Brooklyn-having been reported, Dr. Wm. A. Hammond, of this city, had declared it a fraud, and challenged any person to abstain from food for forty days, and

this was Dr. Tanner's opportunity to vindicate Dr. Tanner said that even Dr. Hammond had agreed with the general opicion that the fast was honestly conducted. There was not so much unanimity, however, about the value of the forty days' fast to science. Not only the fast, but the rapid recovery after it, was emnently successful in upsetting the provalent theories of physicians. He would use the evi-dence that the fast was honestly conducted as a weapon against the established views of medical experts on the subject of both fasting and recovery from the eff.c:s of fasting. 110 claimed that it established the truth of one belief he had held for many years, that the sanative or bealing principle, is in the man, and not in the

medicine. In all functional or organic derangements of his own body, he had implicitly relied upon this self healing principle to restore the equilibrium without the use of drugs. He had unbounded faith in the potency of this God implanted prigciple, and it was that fall that enabled him to abstain from food. The same faith coabled him to partake of liberal diet at the end of his fast in the face of the warning of nearly the entire medical profession that by so d ing he would meet with speedy death. The fact was that the vigorous so ion of the stomach prevented the disastrous results that word pro-

dicted. He knew what he was about when he partook so plentifully of food, and the result was, he said : "I did not die as you see. I gained thirty pounds in nine hours. My experience shows

the impotence of drugs, the uselessness of mercury and arsenic.' Dr. Tanner quoted Dr. Carpenter's description of starvation, and claimed to bave disproved its accuracy, broause, he said, he did not show, while fasting or afterwards, the cadaverousness, the secretions on the skin, the fetid breath, the tottering walk, or the dicay of the mintal powe ers predicted by Dr. Carpenter. He was convinced that the prevalent ides of medical .x. perts that rest and inactivity were nest stary o prolong life during fasting were disproved. He thought he had demonstrated that ac tivity is necessary during fasting to throw off the impure matter that would otherwise make the fasting fatal. He was also satisfied that his experiment would eliminate from tuture fasting triale the palsying effect of fear. He quoted several cases where persons have died from imaginary injuries. He claimed to have proved beyond question that reople generally eat too much, and he estimated that most persons can live on about a quarter of the food they now consume. Much force is expended to getting

rid of superfluous food. That force might be surned into physical or mental labor. Dr. Tanner specially commended abstinence from food as a care for dyspesia and rheumatism. He said that after a fasting for medical purposes there will be a natural call for food, which may then be taken in sufficient quantity. He quoted a letter from Dr. C. A. Wood of Montreal, who had published his approval of the plan of treating disorders of the digestive functions by fasting. He said that despesia is our national disease, and the best way to get rid of it is to adopt the advice of Shakespeare and

"Throw physic to the dogs." Finally Dr. Tanner argued that his two trium phant fastings had proved the immortality of the soul. Although constantly eliminating large quantities of phosphorus in his talks, dis oussions and other mental exercises, he claimed that his brain was not injured by the fast he had undergone. This, he said, disproved the materialistic theory of the construction of the mind, and proved beyond question the power of the mind over matter. He had been able to overcome the keenest pangs of hunger by a mere effort of the will. Il's will was constantly strengthered to enable him to go on with his abstinence, He claimed to have demonstrated that there is an intelligent something indepen. dent of matter. He claimed also to have demonstrated that we depend upon electric influences in the atmosphere for much of our strength. This electric power, he asserted, helps change the venous blood into arterial blood. He further claimed to have proved that there is a life sustaining force in personal magnetism, or animal magnetism. He trusted that the doctors would be led by his experiments to investigate further the laws of life, so that in-

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